



Food and Nutrition March 29, 2016 Board Update

Development

1. Patricia Hoppe, Food and Nutrition Deputy Administrator hired February 1, 2016
2. SB 503 - 109 grant applications approved and \$970,000 has been awarded, 781,707 more breakfast were served compared to same time last year, 20 percent increase in breakfast participation among qualifying schools over the same time last year, additional 1.5 million in Federal reimbursement into the State of Nevada.
3. The Processed Foods RFP is almost complete and ready for distribution.

Services

1. Four Administrative Reviews were conducted for Washoe County School District, Lyon County School District, Quest Charter School, and Equipo Charter School.
2. Senior Farmers Market Nutrition Program Partners Meeting held March 3, 2016.
3. Cottage Food Bill requirements are almost ready to initiate and post to the website.
4. Issued a Cease and Desist to illegal goat dairy in North Las Vegas. The dairy was selling unpasteurized dairy products. Will continue to monitor and if sales continue, the case will be turned over to the Attorney General's office.

Training and Presentations

1. Professional Development Grant funds were used to provide culinary training for Mineral and Pershing County School District food service staff.
2. Six webinars were conducted for food service staff on: wellness, USDA Foods, program compliance, cycle menus, developing smart goals, and RCCI basics.

Participation

1. Anna Vickery attended a FSMA meeting and exercise with FDA to learn about the new requirements for our produce facilities.
2. Lisa Burnett attended a FDA Advanced Milk Processing training. The course focused on the evaluation of milk processing beyond the basic pasteurization system.
3. David Grenz attended a FDA Laboratory Evaluation Officers training. Once David has completed his certification, he will be able to certify industry laboratories to test incoming tankers of milk for antibiotic residue.